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caustic man who had read his latest yet."

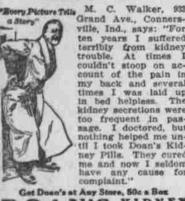
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He went into the house and brought

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SYNOCPSIS.

—11—
Alan Wayne is sent away from Red Hill, his board. "Burn them." He held them out and watched jediously as McDour, his bome, by his uncide. J. Y., as a morral his board. Y. as a morral his board. Y. as a morral his board was a star as fireation. At home, of corry, as he thighs, sees Alia no the trail was a morral board. At home, of corry, as he thighs, sees Alia no the trail and good was an expensive of the personal degree to the drive they hold the most file of the pole moved nervously, anxious to be off. There eight companions wheeled their flea-bitten ponies and beautiful of faint amber hue. Gerry found his tongue. "What is lightly five the first of the most of a liquid of faint amber hue. Gerry found his tongue. "What is lightly five the first of the first of

There's a lot of maudlin sentiment about "dear old mother" put into cheap songs and sung by scalawags, but just the same, "God" and "Mother" are the two biggest words in the English language. Consider here the effect of a mother's memory on Alan Wayne.

CHAPTER XXII-Continued.

And then he drew out the other letter and the curl in his lip straightened L light in his eyes turned to a flery, blind words traced by a dying hand. In her- as of the horrible heat. self, dying at thirty, she had seen her The three were slient, half somno

strength-no time-left for slow ap- and pointed westward with his chinformation about the opportunities proaches. With the first words of her Lieber stood up and looked. A pillar burning soul. She spoke the all-seeing He could see men riding and some to her heart and fed him with her life's from a peg and looked again. scriptive pamphlets about Eastern blood. All that she had been, all that neral, or a sick man," he said and sat Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico, she had learned, all that she foresaw, down to wait. Kemp started whittling Oklahoma and Northwest Texas. | was crowded into those three pages. | to keep himself awake. Since the bour vellow and faded in words that no spoken, ayes but his and hers had ever seen.

the men.

Alan seemed to have become childstrength he had left in cutting words into a board ripped from a kerosene dying?" he asked. box. When he had finished he called work. "McDougal," he said, "if any- leader. thing should happen to keep me here "Maybe they'll come to you permanently just cut these words into some big rock and lay me under it. Be careful you get them just so. The French are mighty particular about the | had been thrown over the pole to keep way we use their lingo, and while it off the worst of the sun. He pulled

> bit, I guess be'd be just as particular." "Aweel, sir," said McDougal, stifling his rage within him, "I'll do as you wish." He took the board and looked at it. The words meant nothing to him but the scene meant much. He went out and concluded his agreement ered from the countryside. They were ploneers without knowing it. They and their fathers and their fathers' drought and flood since, centuries ago. the Jesuits swept through the subcontinent and left a trail of settlers behind them. They were proud, narrow, independent. They were uninventive, unimaginative. No man among them

ever they invaded civilization with their wares. From them McDougal had learned that due east, halfway to the sea, was a place called Lieber's and that this Lieber was known as the Americano and had fame as a curador of fevers. Lieper's in a hammock in four days. Twelve men could do it in two, and quicker than that a hundred men could been tossed on the floor. Lieber ex- you'd say he was dead now." not go. For the price of three steers each-two-year-olds-they would underake to deliver the sick man at Lieber's in two days. McDougal pondered. It was a chance. If he sent who could help at the rall-head, nor Coma had set in.

had ever thought to lie. They did not

steal, though they were robbed when-

along the thin line, nor even at the "In two days," said be despairingly, 'the master will be dead." They gathered at the door of Alan's tent and looked in at him as he lay

of them, "he will be dead in seven days' time." As McDougal picked him up and laid him gently in a hammock, Alan the bed or crib occupied by young chil- However, the bite resulted in an in- health service." came to. The hammock was padded dren, especially infants when left fection which spread so rapidly that with pillows and blankets and strung alone sleeping. Such an incident is physicians found it impossible to save on a stout bamboo pole with two men recorded in the death of William Web the child's life. A high fever devel-

at each end supporting it. up at McDougat.

"I'm sending ye home," said Me mouse bite on the child's neck. Dougal gently but firmly. Alan smiled a twisted smile Alan drew two letters from inside | wound. A simple application was made | ace to public health, carrying germs | origin

his coat. "Burn them." He held them | chest out from his room. With alcohol out and watched jealously as McDou- he rapidly washed out the dust-filled

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They started off in a shambling, rapid that," he commanded Kemp. Kemp The horseman fell in behind. A clutched the arm. The bones seemed

Lieber, with Gerry and Kemp, sat in adoration. The letter had been sent | the shade of the veranda, smoking after to him, sealed, by J. Y., who had set the midday meal. The stock had been hips, he lifted him as though be were companied it with a note. The letter corralled, but, on Kemp's advice, the an empty shell, while Kemp and Liebegan, "To my boy at Thirty," and staft for Fazenda Flores was to be ber drew out the dust-caked blankets signed, "With undying love, your made half-way through the afternoon, and hammock and spread first a cane friend and Mother." In life he could There was to be a great moon that mat over the settle and then a blanket not remember his mother, but he saw | night and the drive would be robbed of her now in three pages of laboring the perils of darkness to cattle as well

boy revealed. She had had no lent, when a passing herder grunted letter she laid a cooling hand on his of dust was coming across the desert. wisdom of death. She held him close | og else. He took his field glasses They were brittle with age, the ink of Lieber's confession he had hardly

When the cavalcade came within They gripped his soul and held it easy view Gerry stood up and watched. stendy. Without this letter be would He could not hide his curiosity like have torn up the other But the other Lieber and Kemp. In front of the had come as a complement and he kept horses came four men bearing a sagit because it helped him to see himself. ging hammock on a pole. They were As Alan weakened the bridge ap- running in quick, springy steps that proached completion. Batches of men. made the hammock sway gently from as special work was finished, were side to side. The pace they kept up dispatched to the coast. With each under the burden was marvelous. batch McDougal strove to send his They were followed closely by eight master, but Alan was too weak to go. horsemen. At the first signs of falterthough he did not say so. He had ing among the bearers, four of the realized it with terror and then with riders would throw themselves off calm, "No, McDougal, not this time," their ponies and run under the pole. he would say, and finally, "I think I The change of relay was made without might just as well stay on till they a stop, without a pause. The freed send up to take over. It's unprofes- ponies stood with hanging heads and donal to chuck it before. It won't be straddled legs. Even from a distance long now." And McDougal had cursed one could see that the burdened men low, rolling oaths and taken it out on had run the wiry little beasts off their feet. They were all in, but the men were still erect-keen. With a final ish in his weakness. He spent what spurt the cortege drew up before the veranda. Lieber stood up. "Dead or

"Master, we do not know," an-McDougal and showed him his handi- swered the oldest of the men, their "Fever or smallpox?" asked Lieber.

"Fever." With a look of rellef Lieber went down the steps to the hammock. A sheet wasn't a Frenchman that wrote this it off. A ghastly sight met his eyes, but he did not shrink. "Bring him up here," he said, springing up the steps and sweeping a saddle harness and some old magazines off a great raw-

hide settle on the veranda. They 'ald the sick man on the settle and Lieber started to strip him with with twelve quiet, lowering men gath- gentle, deft hands. Kemp strode forward and helped but Gerry stood by, powerless to move. He had recognized Alan, the man be had sworn to break fathers had held these far depths of if ever he met him. Somebody else the world against wild beasts and had broken Alan, terribly, pitilessly. Gerry's eyes shrank from the sight. A lump came into his throat. Alan was fighter, and unless I'm a bigger fool through the years, became doubly ethe-Alan with whom he had wanbarefoot through those quiet lanes of home, with whom he had fished and swum, and once had Gerry. fought. What a little fury Alan had

to shake hands. amined his patient minutely, without tended and pushed out across the ab- the declining sun. domen. He could feel its hard, unyielding margins. The feet were swol- would stay, but he suddenly remem. There is a sick man there—he is dying

Alan to the rail-head there wouldn't len. The face was yellow with the bered Margarita. How far away from and I must help. He is my fellowe even a chance. There was no one sickly gray-yellow of molded straw. life she seemed! Alan and Margarita countryman." Lieber dragged a great medicine into one world-it was against the or- Her bosom rose and fell rapidly. "Do

der of things. But facts do not stand not go," she said, and Gerry started at on the order of their coming, they sim- the passion in her voice. ply come, and against the protest of He looked at her and smiled. "I man's will they present his fate: must see this man before he dies," he against the cry of the troubled and said, half to himself. displaced soul they voice the eternal i "Ah," said Margarita, beating with j'y suis, j'y reste of inanimate things. her little brown fist on the veranda pilmust either break one's head against | that calls thee. Why should one turn it or swallow it and let it take its from things that live to fondle death? course through the mental gorge.

> and through his returning conscious | and, hurrying up the steps, took Marness, as through a magnifying glass, garita in his arms. gaze upon the world he had foresworn the heritage he had abandoned. But not a woman I go to see, but a man the fact of Margarita and her boy Shall I not talk with a man that is suddenly declared itself-demanded at death's door?" digestion-and Gerry turned his back on Alan. He mounted, and with the rita; "let him but die and thou shall

At sundown Lieber came out to his patient. He had him moved, settle cloud of dust cut them off from Mc- to bend to the grip. Lieber chose a and all, into a room whose windows Dougal's gaze. He turned and fell swollen vein and pierced it with the opened upon the veranda. Lieber sat upon his laboring squad with a rolling needle. He forced the dose into the beside him and nursed him through the flood of curses. To them the words blood, "There," he said with a smile long, hot night. To the definess of were Greek, but nevertheless their to Gerry, "that's what's known as an his hand had been added tenderness, blood curdled and they worked as only intravenous administration of quinine and into his fare a new determination and arsenic. If another paroxysm had come—a resolve to win Aian's hits him he's done for, but we'll know battle for him whatever the odds.

Gerry did not sleep that night. He lay on the little extra bed he had made upon his son's arrival and, propping out clean sheets, soft woolen blankets, himself on his elbow, gazed around pillows and pillow-slips. Kemp had him. The moon shone through great never seen such linen; Gerry had alcracks in the warped shutters and most forgotten the feel of it. Gerry filled the room with a glow that, as his came to life. With one hand under eyes dilated, became a revealing light. Alan's shoulder and another under his In one corner was an iron wash-stand with its vessels of coarse enameled metal, a recent purchase. In another corner stood a grotesque clothes-rack. It looked like a young pine with irregular branches and top lopped off. On the stubs or pegs hung his clothes and Margarita's and, on the lowest peg of all, the Lilliputian garments of the Man. The floor was bare and rolling.

for the boards, roughhewn from hardcenter stood the great rustic bed that was taking on strength. Gerry had made from the twisted Alan was still sleeping when Gerry could see Margarita lying uncovered on the coarse, yellowish homespun. he come to, yet?" On her bare, brown arm lay the black



Somebody Else Had Broken Alan.

What had Alan done with her? He

know. But before he could ask he

and, on top of that, a sheet. The touch of Alan's dry, crackling skin seemed to Gerry to be burning his hands. "It is as though there were fire in him, he sald to Lieber.

Will Be Dead,"

Lieber looked at his patient with an all-seeing eye. He paused before cov ering him up. "That's it." be said "There's fire in him-the worst kindand he's been playing with it, just tickling it with stale quinine." His eye ran rapidly over the thin body. "I said the dose I gave him would probably kill him, but I've changed my mind. I'm betting the other way, now I really look at him. There's no flesh | Parker on him, but he doesn't look like a skeleton. Why? Because of the sinews and bones of him-they're perfect. seams of elementary life stood out bru-Look at the way the sinews hold his tally. For the first time he saw them. neck and the way the neck carries the From the touch of the coarse homespun sinews. Look at the flat bulge of his that covered him, his mind went back ribs and the breadth of his shoulders to the feel of Lieber's fine linen, and over the hips. That means heart and from that it poised on Alan and then lungs and vitals. That man's been a flew back to Alix-Alix, who, seen than I was yesterday he's a fighter real and flowerlike. Where was Alix?

yet."

"Cover him up, for God's sake," said must ask him. That, at least, he must Lieber dropped the sheet and went must decide about Margarita and steel been in that boys' battle! It had not off to the kitchen. Gerry and Kemp himself to his purpose. He thought of been fought to a finish. On one im- covered the stripped body and tucked the long, still days at Fazenda Flores pulse they had stopped and looked at many blankets over it. Lieber came before Alan had come to Lieber's-the each other and turned away, ashamed back and took off half the blankets. struggle and the reward that had been "Mustn't tire him with weight," he ex- his-and the firmness in him, the Lieber, once heavy, forld and clum- plained. "If he's going to sweat, he'il steadfastness that had led Alan to sy, was transformed. He worked sweat all right. Malaria-malignant name him The Rock, rose up in de quickly, with sure hands. The body fever-is the tiredest disease in the fense of Margarita and her son. lay stripped on the settle. Under it world. When they get too tired to still lay the hammock and dusty blan- breathe, that's the end." He took hold saddling True Blue Margarita came on while the family were at church, and kets. The pillows and a board had of Alan's wrist. "To feel his pulse, to the veranda. "Where art thou going?" she asked.

"'Bout time we was startin'." re- Gerry looked up. Gerry's first impulse was to say he his eyes. "I am going to Lieber's.

could not crowd into one day or even

where rodents, both the house rat and the little rodent, and nothing more extermination of rats and mice should

How Smcking Injures Health. Coroner J. Ramsay Nevitt, who in- smoking does injure the heart, but the preceding year and 16,000,000 feet asked angrily and sank back into the whose death is reported in the vital vestigated the case, is satisfied that not, as generally supposed, on account pillows. From there his eyes glared statistics as due to a virulent blood the child's death was directly trace of the nicotine present. Tobacco with poisoning from the infection of able to the bite of the mouse. In com- various proportions of nicotine was

Gerry was up early. As he was

haste. The spleen was frightfully dis- marked Kemp with his eyes toward little pale from the wakeful night hour while Miss Rettie, the prof.'s and there were slight shadows under Margarita's eyes searched his face.

One cannot go around a fact. One lar, "I know. I know. It is not death It is the stranger thou wouldst see." Gerry longed to stay by Alan's side, Gerry dropped the reins of his horse.

"And why not, my beloved? It is

"Let him but die," pleaded Marga-

Alan was struggling back from coma. He muttered, he talked, he awoke Lieber found his sunken eyes, the pupils appearing almost concave, fixed on him with a seeing gaze. It was like resurrection. A spirit had come down upon the body. Eye to eye, mouth to mouth, heart to heart, it had given sight, breath, life,

The eyes closed. Lieber hurrled away. From the kitchen he brought a bowl of broth. It was steaming and filled the room with an odor of rich essence. It was in itself a concentration of life. The bowl was emptied. Alan sank back into the pillows. His eyes wandered wistfully over the bare walls, the high tiling of the strange room. "'I would have, great gods! but one short hour of native air-let me but die at home," he murmured, and Lieber heard.

The words clutched at his own heart. but he answered cheerfully, "You shall. my boy, you shall die al home if you like, but you're going to have years to think it over. Sleep, that's the word. And sleep it is," he added to himself as Alan's eyes closed and his chest bewood giants of the forest, had warped gan to rise and fall in healthy breathsteadily through many years. In its ing. Lieber held his wrist. The pulse

limbs of trees and Bonifacio had plait- arrived. Lieber looked up. surprised. ed with thongs. By raising himself "You've come all the way back from Gerry nodded. "How is he? Has

"Yes," said Lieber in a low, modulated tone. "He came to, all right, But Gerry shuddered at the nearness- the fight's not over yet. Fever goes the familiarity-of everything. The and comes, you know. If another paroxysm seizes him, he'll not have the strength to pull through. It's a ques-

If you had the opportunity to put out of the way forever the man who you thought had wrecked your home and life, would you do it, epecially if your purpose could be accomplished simply by a little neglect in giving a fever patient his medicine on time?

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Papa-I guess they charged it too nuch, sonny.-Siren.

"I understand they have a new school curriculum."

"What's its make?" There must be something radically thing worry him." wrong with the woman who talks only when she has something to say,

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ster Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. oped, and the child died. "What are you doing with me?" he William W. Jackson of Washington,

menting upon the case he said:

mouse, have been known to invade was thought of it for the time being, be undertaken by the local and public

used in the tests, and the effect on the

One night while the infant, only two Tt is a fact widely known among heart was the same. Oak leaves were sity of Washington, at Seattle, is a re-Alan smiled a twisted smile. "Send in medical ment that rats and mice carry disease, and householders should make resignedly. "Oh, all right." Then be into the crib and, biting the baby on the crib and the cr is ried up. "Bring matches," he said the neck, indicted what was then as a matter of personal and public are due to products of combustion confive feet thick, is aimost pure yellow to be a matches from his pock thought to have been an insignal cant protection. Cats, likewise, are a mentained in smoke of widely different in color, with an extremely glassy sur-

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A recent acquisition by the Univer-